



Saluda Primary School



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Vision

The vision of Saluda County Schools and Saluda Primary School is to become an exemplary district and school in which every student graduates equipped to succeed in work and life in a globally competitive world.

Mission

The mission of Saluda Primary School is to educate all students by providing a rigorous and relevant curriculum with supportive programs.

Curriculum

- Fully implemented South Carolina College and Career Ready Standards throughout each grade level.
- Fully implemented Balanced Literacy/Literacy Footprints in grades K-2, as well as, Letterland, a phonics based program.
- Fully implemented The Golden Gate Kid's Program in the guidance department.
- Computers are used in Pre- Kindergarten- 2nd grade to help develop readiness skills
- NWEA's Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) is administered to all students. Data collected from MAP is used to drive instruction.
- All teachers participated in professional development that is driven by student data. This initiative enabled teachers to work together to learn best practice strategies that are relevant to student's needs.
- A monthly reading incentive program is implemented for all students to enhance their reading performance. This initiative encourages students to read for pleasure to help improve their comprehension skills.
- SPS benefits from a phenomenal sheltered ESOL program for our English Language Learners. ESOL students receive further support provided by ESOL tutors.
- Individual conferences are held throughout the year with all parents, students, and administration to discuss student performance.

SPS Celebrates Students' Performance

- Positive Office Referral from the Principal
- Students of the Month
- Individual PBIS Incentives
- Grade Level PBIS Incentives
- School Wide PBIS Incentives
- Various Academic Awards

Saluda Primary School Awards!

Ms. Kelsey Bailey, second grade teacher, was named Teacher of the Year.



Home School Connection

PTA
(Parent Teacher Association)

Saluda Primary School PTA supported school events to help raise funds for our school. Donuts were sold to help raise money towards our new playground. PTA also provided staff with birthday treats and special days of recognition.

Community Outreach

- Weekly school and class newsletters are sent home to keep parents up to date on all events.
- K12 Swift, a district wide communication system, notifies the school community of school and district happenings.
- School website, Facebook, and Twitter update the community on school happenings.

School Sponsored, Student Activities and Opportunities

- Kindergarten 101
- ROARin' Reader Reading Program
- Virtual Open House
- Curriculum videos posted on website
- Virtual Fall Family Fun Night
- Virtual Veterans Day Salute
- Virtual Christmas Around the World
- Willy Wonka Day celebrating 100 days of Face to Face Instruction
- Read Across America Day Virtual Reading Buddies
- After School Run Club
- Virtual 4H Club
- Fall and Spring Book Fair
- Title One Meetings
- PBIS Celebrations
 - Polar Express Day
 - Superhero/Princess Day

Saluda Primary School Environment

Saluda Primary is a Positive Behavior Interventions and Support (PBIS) school. It is our priority to reinforce positive behavior while constantly teaching our school wide expectations. Saluda Primary School ROARS: Students are expected to be Respectful, Organized, Attentive, and Responsible. When our students ROAR it fosters an environment of positive academic and social growth.